

REMARKS

Claims 5-8, 12, 13, 20-23 and 42-46 remain in this application.

Claims 5, 12, 20 and 42 were objected to as depending from rejected claims.

Claims 5, 12, 20 and 42 have been amended to make them independent.

Rejected claims 1-4, 9-11, 14-19, 24-41 and 47-49 have been canceled.

It is believed that this application is now in condition for allowance and an early issue date will be appreciated. However in the event that the Examiner determines otherwise, applicants solicit an interview in order to resolve any issues that may be resolved before final.

Respectfully submitted,

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